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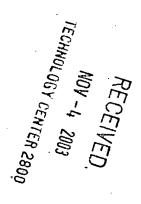
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	1	3772712	1973-11-20	Renn et al.			•
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